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#### TRANSMITTAL OF MISSING PARTS OF PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed on August 27, 2001, in the above-identified application, transmitted herewith are the missing parts needed to complete the filing of the subject patent application.

#### Enclosed are:

- Assertion of Small Entity Status (1 pg.); [ X ]
- [ **X** ] Declaration and Power of Attorney (3 pgs.);
- [ **X** ] Transmittal of Formal Drawings (1 pg.);
- [ X ] Formal Drawings (9 sheets, Figs. 1-11);
- [ X ] Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts (Part 2 of Form PTO-1533)

### The filing fee is calculated below:

	Claims as Filed	-	ncluded in Basic Fee		Extra Claims		Rate		Fee Totals
Basic Fee		-					\$740.00		\$740.00
Total Claims:	54	-	20	=	34	x	\$18.00	=	\$612.00
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If any Multiple Dependent Claim(s) present: + \$280.00								=	\$0.00
Surcharge under 37 CFR 1.16(e) for late filing of Executed + \$130.00 Declaration and late payment of filing fee							=	\$130.00	
							SUBTOTAL:		\$1,642.00
Small Entity Fees Apply (subtract ½ of above):									\$821.00
TOTAL FILING FEE: TOTAL FEE							=	\$821.00	
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- [X] Check in the amount of \$821.00 in payment of \$370.00 official Government filing fee; \$306.00 for 34 total claims over 20; and \$80.00 for 2 independent claims over 3 and \$65.00 surcharge fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e)).
- Please charge Deposit Account No. 19-0741 in the amount of \$821.00 in payment of surcharge fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e)).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required regarding this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. Should no proper payment be enclosed herewith, as by a check being in the wrong amount, unsigned, post-dated, otherwise improper or informal or even entirely missing, the Commissioner is authorized to charge the unpaid amount to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all 崖 required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). <sup>B</sup> 740

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$772.
  - \$612 for 34 total claims over 20.
  - \$160 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1612. 821

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
  - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch); drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(q)). Each

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